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SUBJECT: AMCIT MERCENARIES IN NICARAGUA

REF (A) MANAGUA 1960; (B) MANAGUA 1976

1. EMBOFF HAS OBTAINED COPY OF NEW FSLN PUBLICATION ENTITLED
"LUCHA SANDINISTA," PUBLISHED BY THE EXTERNAL COMMISSION (INFOR-
MATION SUBCOMMISSION) OF THE FSLN. IN THIS PUBLICATION, ATTENTION
HAS BEEN DRAWN TO PRESENCE OF AMCITS WORKING UNDER CONTRACT TO
NATIONAL GUARD.

2. ARTICLE IN PUBLICATION REPRODUCES ALLEGED ORDER MADE BY MICHAEL
D. ECHANIS FOR 200 BOOKS ON COMBAT KNIFE FIGHTING AND KNIFE THROWING.
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REPRODUCED COPY OF INVOICE FROM L'HARA PUBLICATIONS, 1947 W.
EMPIRE AVE., BURBANK, CALIFORNIA 91504, ACCOMPANIES ARTICLE.

3. ARTICLE FURTHER SAYS THAT NICARAGUANS NOW MUST WORRY NOT ONLY
ABOUT BEING SHOT, BUT ALSO ABOUT BEING STABBED IN THE BACK. IT GOES
ON TO SAY THAT "SANDINISTA JUSTICE" WILL TAKE ACCOUNT OF THE
AMCIT MERCENARIES. SOLAUN UNQUOTE VANCE

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